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The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 17 September 2002 is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97. Accordingly, the information disclosure statement is being considered by the examiner.

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